



River Valley Community National School

BOM Meeting Report

Date	Monday 22 nd March 2021
Time	6.30pm
Venue	Microsoft Teams Meeting

ITEM	DETAILS
Teaching and Learning	<p>Health and Happiness Week took place remotely between 8th and 12th of February and was a great success. Students took part in a dance and drama workshop with Next Stage Theatre School, a yoga workshop with yoga by Laura and a live bake along with Ms Kildea and Ms McArdle, meditation and mindfulness. The school is currently working towards achieving our first amber flag.</p> <p>World Book Day took place on the 4th March. Students were invited to dress up as a character from their favourite book. The children took part in many activities which celebrated their love of reading.</p> <p>Seachatain na Gaeilge took place between March 8th and 16th. The children had an Irish dancing class, took part in an in school art competition, recited their Irish poems in our first school feis. We collaborated with Broadmeadow CNS using Teams during which the children in JI performed their poems and songs as Gaeilge for one another. On Tuesday we had Lá Glas which saw the children dressed up in St Patrick's Day themed clothes, we performed the hocaí pocaí as Gaeilge sa chlós and had a prize giving ceremony. The week was a great success.</p>
COVID 19	Our School's Covid Response Plan has been updated in light of current guidance.
PT Meetings	PT meetings are taking place via Microsoft Teams this week

Parents' Association Report	Our PA are currently organising the Active April initiative. This challenge will involve families recording the time they spend on active each week. The PA will be setting numerous challenges during the month for families.
Acknowledgment	The BOM acknowledged the tremendous work done by staff and management both during school closures and also on the safe reopening of the school in March.